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May 19, 2011

Dennis Ware, Controller
Castle Gate Holding Company
P.O. Box 30
Helper, Utah 84526-0030

Subject: 2010 Annual Report Review Completion, Willow Creek Mine, C/007/0038, Task ID #3798

Dear Mr. Ware:

The Division staff has completed the review of the 2010 Annual Report. Enclosed is a copy of the review with each reviewer's comments completed on May 19, 2011. Please submit copies of the following items as a separate application with a C1/C2 form for approval and incorporation into the official mining and reclamation plan.

- Please resubmit the updated ownership and control information as an amendment prepared for incorporation into the M&RP. The Division needs copies of the information along with a C1/C2 form in order to properly update the Willow Creek Mining and Reclamation Plan.

Thank you for your diligence in completing the Annual Report. If you have any questions, please call me at (801) 538-5325.

Sincerely,

Daron R. Haddock
Coal Program Manager

DRH/sqs
Enclosure

cc: Price Field Office

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Annual Report

Date

5/19/11

This Annual Report shows information the Division has for your mine. Submit the completed document and any additional information identified in the Appendices to the Division by **March 31, 2011**. During a complete inspection an inspector will check and verify the information.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Company Name Plateau Mining Corporation

Mine Name Willow Creek Mine

Permit Number C/007/0038

Permit expiration Date 2011-04-23

Operator Name Plateau Mining Corporation

Phone Number +1 (435) 472-0475

Mailing Address P.O. Box 30

Email dware@alphanr.com

City Helper State UT Zip Code 84526

CERTIFIED REPORTS

DOGM File Location or Annual Report Location

Excess Spoil Piles

- ☐ Required
☒ Not Required

Refuse Piles

- ☒ Required
☐ Not Required

Impoundments

- ☒ Required
☐ Not Required

Other:

Attachment A to this Annual Report

Attachment B to this Annual Report

OPERATOR COMMENTS

An request to discontinue quarterly inspections of the Willow Creek Refuse Pile was approved in 2010; the last quarterly inspection was conducted on September 30, 2010.

REVIEWER COMMENTS



Met Requirements



Did Not meet Requirements

Refuse pile inspections reports are P.E. Certified. No hazardous conditions reported. Sediment pond inspections is for a sediment pond outside the permit area. This is not required.

REPORTING OF OTHER TECHNICAL DATA

List other technical data and information as required under the approved plan, which must be periodically submitted to the Division. Specify whether the information is included as an attachment to this report or currently on file with the Division.

Please List Attachments:

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REVIEWER COMMENTS

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Met Requirements

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Did Not meet Requirements

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LEGAL, FINANCIAL, COMPLIANCE AND RELATED INFORMATION

The Division is Requesting that each Permittee review and update the legal, financial, compliance and related information in the plan as part of the annual report. Please provide the Department of Commerce, Annual Report of Officers, or other equivalent information as necessary to ensure that the information provided in the plan is current. Provide any other change as necessary regarding land ownership, lease acquisitions, legal results from appeals of violations, or other changes as necessary to update information required in the mining and reclamation plan. Include certified financial statements, audits or worksheets, which may be required to meet bonding requirements. Specify whether the information is currently on file with the Division or included as an attachment to the report.

LEGAL/ FINANCIAL UPDATE

Included

DOGM File Location or Annual Report Location

Dept. of Commerce - Annual Report Officers	<input type="checkbox"/>	Attachment C to this Annual Report
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REVIEWER COMMENTS



Met Requirements



Did Not meet Requirements

The Permittee provided a Report with the most current officers and directors information as of 3/15/2011. The information provided has been updated in the Applicant Violator System, however, the Division needs copies of the information along with a C1/C2 form in order to properly update the Willow Creek Mining and Reclamation Plan. Please provide this information as an amendment to the MRP.

MAPS

Copies of mine maps, current and up-to-date through at least December 31, 2010, are to be provided to the Division as an attachment to this report in accordance with the requirements of R 645-301-525.240. The map copies shall be made in accordance with 30 CFR 75.1200 as required by MSHA. Mine maps are not considered confidential.

Map Name	Map Number	Included		Confidential	
		Yes	No	Yes	No
Annual subsidence map	Mine is Reclaimed	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Mine Map	Mine is Reclaimed	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

REVIEWER COMMENTS ☒ Met Requirements ☐ Did Not meet Requirements

The mine site is totally is reclaimed.

OTHER INFORMATION

Please provide any comments of further information to be included as part of the Annual Report. Any other attachments are to be provided as an attachment to this report. If information is submitted as a group rather then by individual mine, please identify each of the mine's data in the list below.

Please List Attachments:

Phase I Bond Release was approved for Crandall Canyon on July 7, 2010.

REVIEWER COMMENTS